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Attorney Docket No. 1086.1139CIP **Application Number** 09/964.563 REPLY/AMENDMENT Filing Date September 28, 2001 FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Masaaki NISHIKIORI, et al. Inventor Group Art Unit 3621 AMOUNT ENCLOSED John Winter 320.00 **Examiner Name** FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04) CLAIMS AS Highest Number Number Claims Remaining Previously Paid For AMENDED After Amendment Extra Rate Calculations TOTAL CLAIMS 20= X \$ 50.00 =17 0 0.00 INDEPENDENT 6= X \$ 200.00 =200.00 CLAIMS Since an Official Action set an original due date of August 10, 2005, petition is hereby 120.00 made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160): If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) 320.00 \$ Total of above Calculations = Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) \$ 320.00 TOTAL FEES DUE = (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". METHOD OF PAYMENT \boxtimes Check enclosed as payment. Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. No payment is enclosed. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit \boxtimes any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: 19-3935 Deposit Account No. Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under \boxtimes 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application. SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP Typed Name J. Randall Beckers Reg. No. 30.358 Nauel 1/ Signature Date ©2005 Staas & Halsey LLP



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In re the Application of:

Masaaki NISHIKIORI, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 3621

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Filed: September 28, 2001

Examiner: John Winter

For: MEDIATION NEGOTIATING METHOD, NEGOTIATION RESPONDING METHOD,

RECORDING MEDIUM AND PROGRAM THEREOF

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 10, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on August 10, 2005. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to September 10, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.